

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1583 - SB 1882**

March 29, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Increases, from 15 to 17, the maximum number of members authorized to sit on a local government solid waste authority board. Increases, from one to two, the number of members required for each county or municipality representation.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase Local Expenditures – Up to \$10,000/Permissive**

Assumptions:

- Directors may receive compensation if provided for by a resolution approved by all county and municipal governing bodies participating in the authority.
- Local governments are not required to participate in a solid waste authority board.
- Multiple unknown factors make estimating a precise impact difficult; local authorities will have authorization to determine the number of members needed for the board.
- The average compensation per member is \$50 per meeting, with most authorities meeting once per month.
- Based on a survey of local governments, the average number of board members is estimated to be 10; current law authorizes up to 15 members.
- Any increase in recurring local government expenditures will be permissive and is reasonably estimated not to exceed \$10,000.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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